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C O N F I D E N T I A L SANTIAGO 3339

E.O. 1152: GDS

TAGS: CI, BDIS

SUBJ: CENTRAL BANK SEEKS CERTIFICATION OF NON-INSURANCE

REF: (A) SANTIAGO 3122; (B) STATE 141500

1. ESSO EXEC ASHER SAID THAT CENTRAL BANK "FLATLY REJECTED" PROPOSAL THAT EMBASSY CONFIRM ORALLY TO CB THAT STANDARD OIL CO. (NJ) LOAN TO LOCAL ESSO PLASTICIZER PLANT NOT RPT NOT COVERED BY OPIC INSURANCE. FANSILVER, NEW DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS, SAID ESSO PETITION FOR REMITTING PAYMENTS ON LOAN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY WRITTEN CERTIFICATE OF NON-INSURANCE BY OPIC PLUS WRITTEN CERTIFICATE THAT EX-IM NOT RPT NOT INVOLVED IN LOAN. WITHOUT THESE DOCUMENTS, ASHER WAS TOLD, PETITION WOULD NOT RPT NOT GO TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

2. ASHER SAID HE ARGUED POINTS MADE IN REFTTEL (B) THAT GOC ALREADY HAD FULL INFORMATION REGARDING OPIC AND EX-IM INVOLVEMENT IN CHILE BUT FANSILVER ADAMENT. ASHER SAID CB "IN TURMOIL" WITH RAPID SHIFTING OF PERSONEL AND SPECULATES THIS SITUATION MIGHT BE FACTOR IN CB'S UNUSUAL POSITION ON MATTER.

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